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OPPOSING VIEWS ON CONSERVATION PRESENTED TODAY

James J. Hill and Senator
Albert Beveridge Before
Congress.

Former Defends Principle of
State Rights.

LATTER IS FOR FEDERALISM.

St. Paul, Sept. 7.—Senator Beveridge's mention of Pinchot in his speech today before the conservation congress created the greatest demonstration in the conservation sessions. After three minutes of beckoning and cries for Pinchot, the former forester came forward and said, "The idea of conservation by the federal government is sweeping the country and has swept this convention." Edward Hines, the Chicago millionaire, was removed as chairman of the credential committee on complaint of Illinois, who said he had been connected with the election of Senator Lorimer.

State rights vs. federal authority was presented from the opposing viewpoints before the National Conservation congress here today by James J. Hill and senator Albert Beveridge.

James J. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern road, spoke on "Practical Conservation." He claimed the credit for first pointing out to Americans the danger of soil spoliation and declared that conservation it self must be conserved.

"In an address four years ago I fully stated the soil problem," he said.

"It has been used to forward the error of policy, the extension of the powers and activities of the national government at the expense of those of the states."

"The machine is too big and too distant; its operation is slow, cumbersome and costly. So slow is it that settlers are waiting in distress for water promised long ago. So faulty has been the adjustment of time and money that congress has had to authorize the issue of \$20,000,000 of national obligations to complete projects still hanging in the air."

"So expensive is it that estimates have been exceeded time and time again. The settler has had to pay either more than the cost figure he rolled on or seek cheaper lands in Canada."

"Toward the conservation of mineral resources little can be done by federal action. The output is determined not by the mine owner, but by the consumer. The withdrawal of vast areas of supposed coal lands tends to increase price by restricting the area of possible supply. It is foolish to talk of leasing coal lands in small quantities to prevent monopoly. Mining must be carried on upon a large enough scale to be commercially possible. The people of the west see little difference between a resource withheld entirely from use and a resource dissipated or exhausted. They understand by conservation the most economical development and best of care."

"The west enters a strong plea against some of the forest theories. There were by the last report of the forestry service over 194,500,000 acres withdrawn from use in our forest reserves on June 30, 1909. Of this over 112,000,000, or 175,000 square miles, lies in six western states. That is an area equal to six-sevenths of the size of Germany or France."

"The whole west protests against the demand that federal lands forming water power sites should be withdrawn and leased for the profit and at the pleasure of the federal government. The attempted federal control of water powers is illegal because the use of the way within a state is the property of the state and cannot be taken away with it."

"That the state may and actually does perfectly safeguard its water powers from monopoly and make them useful without extortion has been conclusively shown by Senator Borah in a speech in the United States senate. The worst scandals of state land misappropriation, and there were many, are significant compared with the record of the nation."

The Other Side.
U. S. Senator Albert J. Beveridge, Indiana, in an address before the National Conservation congress today, strongly advocated national over state sovereignty of natural resources.
Dwelling on history from the days of colonial America to the conserva-

Ayer-Lord Tie Company Purchases Lumber For Its Docks and Work on Them Will Start Upon Its Arrival

tion movement the speaker developed point after point showing state failure as against national success in all problems concerning the well-being of the people.

"The United States is—the American people are a nation—not 46 nations."

Thus the senator opened his stirring defense of national control of the conservation movement.

"Had we kept the national resources of all the people and made private interests pay the people a just return for exploiting those resources, the nation's income, thus derived, would now pay most of the nation's expenses; those resources would have been wisely used and not exhausted; and our whole growth would have been national and sound instead of unbalanced and defective. We would have enjoyed all the benefits of our natural resources and yet our children would have inherited colossal national wealth and small national burdens instead of private interests enjoying all of the benefits of our natural resources and their children inheriting colossal private wealth and small private burdens."

Mr. Roosevelt's speech.
In his speech before the conservation congress former President Roosevelt said:

"America's reputation for efficiency stands deservedly high throughout the world. We are efficient probably to the full limit that any nation can attain by the methods hitherto used. There is great reason to be proud of our achievements and yet no reason to believe that we cannot excel our past. Through a practically unrestrained individualism we have reached a pitch of literally unexampled material prosperity, although the distribution of this prosperity leaves much to be desired from the standpoint of justice and fair dealing."

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MINORITY RULES BALLINGER CASE

FIND SECRETARY OF INTERIOR
GUILTY WITH SOME NOT
VOTING.

Minneapolis, Sept. 7.—The Ballinger investigating committee today adopted Senator Fletcher's resolution as amended by Representative Madison, declaring Secretary of the Interior Ballinger faithful to his trust, and demanding his removal. There were five affirmative votes after Senator Sutherland and Representative McCall had left the room and with Senator Nelson raising a point of no quorum and refusing to vote.

OLD PADUCAH TWIRLER
DRAFTED BY BIG LEAGUE.

Hub Perdue, one time pitcher on the Paducah team in the old Kitty league, has been drafted from the Nashville Southern league team by Brooklyn of the National league. Perdue had one try-out with the Chicago Cubs, but was sold to the Nashville, where he has done some brilliant twirling. He is the only former Kitty drafted this year from the minor leagues. Catcher Fish, formerly the backstop with Vincennes, has been signed by Harrisburg.

Highwaymen Left Him Fifty Cents, He Says

Two white men held up and robbed D. R. Blick, an insurance collector residing at 612 Adams street, last night about 7:30 o'clock at the entrance of an alley near Ninth and Harrison streets. Eight dollars in money was secured by the "stick-ups," and then they allowed their victim to go with only 50 cents in his pockets. Mr. Blick was collecting insurance and was returning to his home after dark. As he passed the alley he heard somebody call to him. As he turned around, a tall man threw a pistol into his face and commanded him to keep quiet. The smaller man went through his pockets and took all of his money, but after a search returned all of his

papers. Blick describes one man as being tall, red faced and smooth shaven. The other man was short in stature and had a dark complexion and a short mustache. The robbery was reported to the police but they failed to find the men.

Republicans Confer.

Louisville, Sept. 7. (Special)—A conference of Kentucky Republicans is being held to select a campaign committee. It is the belief that the chief fight is centered by the state organization in the Third, Tenth and Ninth districts. H. C. Howard, of the Seventh district, is chairman of the campaign committee and A. S. Bennett, secretary.

THE WEATHER

The predictions and temperature for the past twenty-four hours will be found at the top of the seventh column on page four.

Local Company Organizes Dry Dock Plant—Ties Are Handled Here From Barges Into Cars For The North.

With the advent of Paducah as a railroad center comes renewed activity in river circles, announcements being made today of two large repairing companies being located here in the next few weeks.

Henry Baker, transportation manager of the Ayer & Lord Tie company, stated this morning that his company has decided to build a docks here and work will begin as soon as the material arrives. The lumber has been purchased in Washington and is the very best that could be secured for the purpose. There will be four sections of the docks and they will handle all of the Ayer & Lord Tie company's repair work. A force of from forty to fifty men will be employed during the busy season, which will be augmented when necessary and reduced when the dull season is on. The pay roll will run from \$150 to \$200 per week during the busy season. Manager Baker could not state just when the lumber will reach Paducah, but said work will begin on its arrival. The company operates from five to seven boats and a large number of barges in the Ohio, Tennessee, Cumberland and Mississippi and tributary rivers, with their home port at Paducah. Just now the company is doing a great deal of repair work at Owen's Island on barges and boats.

The docks will cost about \$12,000. They will not be as large as the old plant, which was sold several months ago to a company at Helena, Ark., but they will have a greater capacity according to the number of sections.

Another New Docks Plant.

Organization of a new dry docks company has been effected by local capitalists, who will file incorporation articles in a short time. Henry A. Pettet, who was interested in the old company, is prime mover in the new concern, but would give out no details when seen by a reporter for the Sun this morning. He admitted that such a concern had been formed and that docks have been purchased. He stated that as soon as the river rises sufficiently the docks will be brought here and the company will begin bidding for work. A fine set of docks has been purchased and the new concern promises to share the business with other steamboat and barge building plants.

Paducah Logical Point.

From a prominent river man it was learned this morning that the firm that purchased the old docks at Paducah, moving them to Helena, Ark., would move its plant to Paducah if the proper inducements

Frank Canady.

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Frank Canady of Evansville, after several weeks illness of typhoid fever. Mrs. Canady was a sister of Mrs. J. C. Demert and visited in Paducah in June. Mrs. Demert was at the bedside of her sister.

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German Club Meeting.

The members of the German club will hold their meeting for the annual election of officers for the ensuing year at the Chess, Checker and Whist club tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The club will give a Fair Hop during the week of the McCracken county fair.

FULTON COUNTY WITHOUT A JURY

WHEEL LOCKED AND CIRCUIT COURT CONVENES WITHOUT GRAND JURY.

Hickman, Ky., Sept. 7.—On the third Monday of this month, Fulton county circuit court will convene here. For the first time in many years the court will have no petit or grand jury to open the judicial hall, and the "householder" will have no fear of sheriffs catching him unaware between now and that date and serving a summons for jury service. Under ordinary circumstances the jury list is placed in the hands of the sheriff twenty days before court convenes, but when court opens the third Monday in this month, the usual congregation of prospective jurors, pleading for dismissal, will not be on hand.

This state of affairs is due to the fact that during the May term of court, the five keys to the jury wheel were lost by Special Judge Feland, at the branch court at Fulton, this county, and a list of jurors could not be drawn for the next term, according to law. It would be a small task to break into the wheel, but no local officer has the authority to do so. The only thing that can be done now is to wait until court convenes and open the box or wheel in "open court," and this authority is vested only in the presiding judge. Sheriff Johnson and his deputies will then get busy.

Chicago Market.

	Sept.—	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	97½	96¼	96¾
Corn	57½	56½	57¼
Oats	33	32½	32¾

ROBBERS CAUGHT AND PROVE TO BE 2 STEREOTYPERS

One of Them Failed to Arrive
and Other Killed Flag-
man.

Daring Train Hold-Up in St.
Louis Yards.

ONE OF THEM HAS CONFESSED.

St. Louis, Sept. 7.—Police early today arrested Emil Freund, 30 years old, who immediately confessed that he and Elbert Julien, both discharged stereotypers on the Chicago American, planned the holdup of the Burlington Pacific Coast Express, in the local yards last night. Julien was captured by Burlington detectives and the police at 9:30 and was identified as the man wanted for the crime. He denies, however, that he killed Flagman Wine.

Freund admits that he agreed to holdup the train with Julien, but missed the train. Fearful of retreat, and desperate because he was left alone by his pal, the robber, believed to be Julien, determined to carry out his plan, even at the cost of killing the flagman, who confronted him at the car door. He compelled the train electrician, Tom Griffin, to rob three women and two men. Julien then jumped from the train before it mounted the terminal company's tracks.

The passengers robbed are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bell, of Denver; Mrs. J. T. Buchanan, of Greenville, Ill.; Mrs. J. C. Shaffer, of St. Louis, and one other man.

Mrs. Bell says the robber refused to take her rings as she held out her hands with a plea not to hurt her. "I never take jewelry," he replied. Julien admits he jumped on a train in the yards last night, but says it was a switch engine and that he left it when his partner missed it. He was arrested in a Market street law agency and the police say he had asked to be shipped out of town.

Greenville, Ill., Sept. 7.—Mrs. John T. Buchanan, one of the Burlington train holdup victims, is the wife of a prominent farmer east of Greenville. Buchanan, who was accompanying his wife to Denver, was not molested. They had provided themselves with travelers' checks and their only loss was Mrs. Buchanan's watch.

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Even Michigan Seems to Have Gone Over to the Insurgents—LaFollette Wins By 100,000 in Wisconsin

Vermont Rolls Up 17,000 For
Republicans in All Day
Rain—Primaries Held in
Several States.

Detroit, Sept. 7.—It looks very much as if the insurgents have captured Michigan in the primary held yesterday. Incomplete returns today indicate that Congressman Townsend leads Senator Burrows for United States senator by a majority of 20,000. Charles Osborne, the insurgent candidate for governor, leads the nearest of his two opponents by 18,000.

Even Suicide Wins.
Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 7.—The insurgent leaders at noon today claim that Senator LaFollette will have a majority over Samuel A. Cook of fully 100,000, and that his entire ticket, which includes Frank T. Pucker, candidate for attorney general, goes in. Pucker committed suicide about a week ago, when charged with grafting, in using franked envelopes for his mail.

LaFollette Wins.
Milwaukee, Sept. 7.—United States Senator LaFollette has swept Wisconsin in the primary election for renomination, defeating his opponent, Samuel A. Cook, of Neenah, by from three to five to one.

Although the early returns showed considerable strength for Fairchild in the race for the Republican nomination for governor of Wisconsin the later figures are showing large gains for McGovern, who won fame as the anti-graft attorney of Milwaukee. There is now a certainty that county option has been defeated by a big majority, for both candidates who are now in the lead are opposed to county option, though McGovern is a LaFollette supporter, and Fairchild figures as supporter of the Taft administration. W. M. Lewis, also a LaFollette supporter, is far behind the other two candidates.

The so-called progressive Republicans seem to have won one congressman as indications point to the defeat of W. H. Stafford in the fifth district. All other present congressmen were probably renominated. Congressman Charles H. Weiss, of Sheboygan Falls, is leading Bert Williams, of Ashland, in a few scattering districts for the Democratic nomination for United States senator.

Vermont Elections.

White River Junction, Vermont, Sept. 7.—Lieutenant Governor Made, a retired physician, was elected governor by the Republicans by a plurality of about 17,000 over Lawyer Charles D. Watson, of St. Albans, Democrat. The Republicans elected the balance of the state ticket, and both their congressmen, but the Democrats made gains in the legislature.

The Republican plurality was the smallest, with two exceptions, since 1870, but State Chairman C. F. Williams, of the state committee, declared that the rain storm was the principal cause of the drop of 12,000 in the plurality in two years.

The Republicans reelected Foster, over Frank Plumley, of North Field. The legislature will elect a United States senator, for which office present senator, Carroll S. Page, has no opposition.

Progressives in Control.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Victor Murdock, the militant insurgent Republican from Kansas, passed through Washington yesterday on his way to Chicago. Mr. Murdock prophesied that the next United States senate would be controlled by the progress-

GREAT CHOIR FOR TORREY MEETING

CHURCH TO FURNISH MR. FRANK
BURNS NAMES OF SINGERS
FOR REVIVAL.

A chorus of 300 voices will sing at the big union revival in October. Mr. Frank Burns has been appointed local musical director to co-operate with the director, who accompanies Dr. Torrey, the evangelist, at the Torrey meetings at the Auditorium rink, commencing October 2. All the pastors in the association are requested to send to Mr. Burns names of the singers in their churches, in order that the choir may be organized before the meeting begins. The song books are here in readiness for rehearsals.

ALMSHOUSE NOT VISITED OFTEN, COMPLAINT MADE

County Physician, Who is Ill,
Subject of Committee
Inquiry.

Fiscal Court Considers Public
Road Matters.

MONTHLY CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Complaints that the county physician, Dr. J. T. Pendley, who is ill, is not performing his whole duty, will be investigated by the almshouse committee. This action was taken yesterday afternoon by the fiscal court before adjournment. Dr. Pendley has been in ill health for several months, and a complaint was filed that he had not visited the county almshouse as required by the new rules. The almshouse committee will report at the next meeting of the court.

Bids for furnishing the county mine run coal for the next year, beginning October 1 will be opened at the next meeting of the court. Advertisements asking for the bids will be inserted in the newspapers.

The magistrates directed the Clark's river ferry road to be graded for a distance of one mile after it branches from the Benton road. The grading of all the dirt roads in the Fifth and Sixth magisterial districts except Mill street, was accepted.

County Road Supervisor John R. Thompson was requested to furnish the magistrates with an estimate of the cost of reconstructing the road embankment through the Mayfield creek bottoms near Melber.

Claims Allowed.

Bills allowed are: Jake Biederman Grocery company, \$2.50; George Jackson, \$17.50; D. A. Yeiser, \$3.50; East Tennessee Telephone company, \$4; Paducah Home Telephone and Telegraph company, \$3; R. D. Clements & company, \$1.36; M. Livingston & company, \$17.50; Billings Printing company, \$2.03; Barry & Henneberger, \$7.50; Ed D. Hannan, \$3.55; Baker, Eccles & company, \$9.50; Hoffman & Hannan, \$3.19; Wallerstein, \$12; J. A. Miller, \$4; S. E. Clay, office rent, \$12.50; Paducah Light and Power company, \$5; J. W. Cartee, \$25; Hart-Lockwood company, \$2.50; George W. Houser, \$47; Paducah Water company, \$58.97; W. T. Cartee, \$67.36; Gus G. Singleton, \$337.05; Henry Houser \$250.60; Henry Houser, \$67.65; Home of the Friendless, \$24; Jake Biederman Grocery company, \$8; Dave Levy, \$7.50; Sears Grocery company, \$5; Lendler & Lydon, \$2; Matt-Effinger & Roth, \$21; R. C. Farthing, \$5.25; Standard Oil company, \$7.15; Katterjohn & Daiby, \$16; Bruner Brothers, \$4; M. W. Clark, \$20.50; U. S. Walston, \$2; Pettit's pharmacy, \$2.40; Barry & Henneberger, \$8; J. A. Williams, \$12; J. V. Grief, \$3.75; Rudy & Sears, \$7; A. J. Ivey, \$2.50; Lang Brothers, \$11.40; McPherson drug store, \$6.15; Nance & Rogers, \$5; Central Coal and Iron company, \$111.34; J. W. Eaker, \$51; J. R. Thompson, \$3,459.94.

The committee work: Magistrate Housholder, \$9; Magistrate Kuykendall, \$21; Magistrate Ross, \$5; Magistrate Spitzer, \$15; Magistrate Emery, \$12; Magistrate Bleich, \$12; Magistrate Walston, \$9; Magistrate Bennett, \$18.

MESSINGER BOY FALLS

AND IS MADE UNCONSCIOUS.
Solon Thompson, 421 South Sixth street, a messenger for the oPal Telegraph company, fell from his bicycle this morning at Second street and Broadway and struck his head on the sidewalk. A gash was cut in the scalp, and he was rendered unconscious for about 15 minutes. Dr. W. J. Bass dressed the injury. The lad revived. He is not seriously injured.

ENGLAND WINS IN FISHERIES CASE

HAGUE TRIBUNAL DECIDES FIVE
POINTS FOR GREAT
BRITAIN.

The Hague, Sept. 7.—The Foundland fishers dispute was decided by the Hague tribunal today five points to seven in favor of Great Britain.